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Initiating shutdown sequence...

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Chapter 1 by eelir J

I woke up in an empty white room. No doors, no windows, only blank walls. I did not feel any emotion. Should I feel confused? Lost? Sacred? Nothing! Only one thing was on my mind: Find a way out. I started touching the walls looking for some sort of clues. Perhaps a hidden passage? As my hands slid through the walls I could feel a temperature drop at one spot. Interesting!? I explored the spot more carefully but I couldn't find anything. No lock or switch. Suddenly, I heard a buzzing sound and the ceiling started to drop down slowly. I understood the situation was not favorable for me and I couldn't help but wander why weren't I feeling something. I knew I should hurry up and try to find a way out. But, this seamed so hopeless. The ceiling was almost touching my head and I slowly started to accept my demise. At that moment something weird started to happen with me. A surge of something that I can only explain as hot steam started to flow through my body. I hit the wall instinctively at the cold spot with all my strength. The wall broke down and I entered the hole.

As soon as as I was in the hole "Initiating shutdown sequence..." appeared in front of my eyes!

Chapter 2 by Joakim   ✏

5 years ago...

I had volunteered to get my body infused with the latest tech. Altair, the company who specialized in body enchantments wanted guinea pigs for their new tech and I really needed some cash.

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But when they started playing with my mind... then everything was lost. First I started losing memory of my everyday life, the experiments got more complicated and at some point I forgot all about myself, I was a machine.

"Initiating shutdown sequence..."

What they did to my eyes? I didn't panic at all I just knew that I needed to be fast. I crawled out of the hole to find myself surrounded by strange weird looking pieces of metal, when they moved I understood they were robots. Once again I knew what I needed to do and I felt the hot steam, now in my head, everything went silent. I was another person, another thing; my other self was controlling the metal, ripping it to pieces. An horrible shriek invaded my ears and the crash of steel destroyed the sentinels. They were machines, lifeless, pieces of crap, but right then I felt something, just for second... then I felt my other self taking control of my conscience again, he was searching for a way out.

I traveled an endless corridor for a long time, white walls, nothing more; I didn't felt tired but something was wrong, I stopped.

"Finally! I through you were gonna run there all night"; I recognized the voice.

There he was, standing in front of me, and I felt something, for a second.

"You can't escape, and even if you do find the way out of this maze the sequence has been activated. its done.

Chapter 4 by intellikat

"Why?" I shouted at the figure. I knew him, though the memory hadn't fully realized itself yet. "Why are you doing this to me?"

"Didn't you read your contract? ...They never read the contract. You failed, Kenneth. Your body rejected the most important functions of the tech we grafted into your body. The nanomachines

The steam rushed through my body and I lunged at the professor. He sidestepped my blow and brought something like a metal bar down across my back. The pain was tremendous, and I felt my vision flickering.

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